

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)
(Small Entity)

Docket No.
09166/002001

In Re Application Of: James G. CLOUGH

#91 EXR.
2 mos.
M. WATTS

Serial No.
09/693,235

Filing Date
October 20, 2000

Examiner
J. M. Mohandes

Group Art Unit
3728 10/22/02

Invention: ORTHOPEDIC SHOE APPLIANCE AND METHOD



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TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of June 4, 2002 in the above-identified application.

Date

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

One month Two months Three months Four months Five months

from: September 4, 2002 *Date* until: November 4, 2002 *Date*

A verified statement of small entity status as a small entity under 37 CFR 1.27:

- is enclosed.
 has already been filed in this application.

The fee for the extension of time is \$200 and is to be paid as follows:

- A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
 The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-0591
A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
 If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 50-0591 A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.


Signature

Dated: 10/16/02

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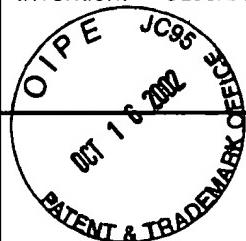
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